

Docket No. 250679US3

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kozo YAMAZAKI

SERIAL NO: 10/807,322

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FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMAGE FORMING AND OPTICAL WRITING DEVICE INSTALLED THEREIN CAPABLE OF REDUCING ADHERING DUST



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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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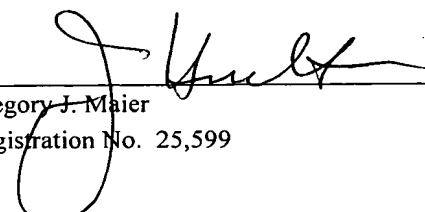
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated May 26, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.